## Medicaid Innovation List:

- 1. Combine all Program Integrity/Fraud efforts in the Department
- 2. Analyze Travel Patterns/Diagnoses/Frequency/Results for Increased Savings
  - a. 10-Day Plan Ahead
  - b. Non-emergent travel rules
  - c. Retrospective reviews on all medevac's
- 3. Maximize Use of Telemedicine through incentivizing reimbursement
- 4. Develop a Comprehensive PCCM Payment Mechanism with Steerage.
- 5. Comprehensive Payment Reform
  - a. Bundled Payments
  - b. Specialty Management
  - c. Pay for outcomes
  - d. DRG's
  - e. Cost Sharing
  - f. Cost methodology
  - g. Acuity Rates
- 6. Medicaid Diabetes Self-Management Program
- 7. Utilize PHN for Evaluation and Assessment of Waiver Recipients
- 8. Cap Waiver Recipients to Nursing Home level of care annually
- 9. Cap total number of prescriptions per recipient (8-10?)
- 10. Cost Savings through contracted services
  - a. Pharmacy
  - b. Assessments
  - c. Care Coordination
- 11. Uniform FFS reimbursement for all treatment grants
- 12. Reduce benefits to essential benefit plan (or state plan benefits only)
- 13. Eliminate the loophole that allows legally responsible relatives (spouse, parent) to refuse to financially support them in order for the other relative (spouse, child) to obtain Medicaid.
- 14. Look at Behavioral Health service limitations (utilization limits) on an annual basis per recipient

- 15. Establish Utilization Limits for Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy and Speech-Language Pathology for practitioner and clinic.
- 16. Develop and implement a Uniform Assessment Tool (UAT) for all waiver services.
- 17. Encourage the development of regional behavioral health organizations to utilize and take advantage of economies of scale in service delivery.
- 18. For Medicaid fee-for-service increase co-pays, add new co-pays, increase annual cap.
- 19. Allow aged and permanently disabled with fixed incomes to be automatically renewed based on cost of living increases.
- 20. Expand the scope of practice for RNs, LPNs and home health aides to improve access to services and decrease associated costs in delivering services.
- 21. Limits total Medicaid spending to no greater than four percent annual growth, in essence establishing a global spending cap on Medicaid expenditures.
- 22. 1915 K capture an additional 6 % federal match. Change our 1915 C Waiver system to 1915 K. We would also include PCA Services (40 % meet institutional level of care)
- 23. An across the board rate freeze for one year.